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Analyzer

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sir:

With regards to the above-referenced application, enclosed please find:

- 1) Status Inquiry; and
- 2) Return Postcard.

Respectfully submitted.

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Dear Sir:

Assignee, Dade Behring Inc. is the owner of the above-referenced patent application. Assignee's files show no correspondence to/from the PTO since Assignee's Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated February 9, 2006.

As of this date we have not received any further correspondence regarding this application.

Respectfully submitted.

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